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Re: Docket # 98P-0151/CP1

I am writing to urge you to grant petition 98P-0151/CP1 to prohibit the slaughter of downed animals to enter the food chain for humans and animals.

I believe it is not fit for human consumption, and it is also not safe to use in animal feed or pet food either.

One of my concerns is evidence showing that some downed animals may be afflicted with a form of BSE or Mad Cow Disease.

In addition, it is impossible to humanely move a downed animal.
If the industry had better care and handling of their animals, there would not be so much injury and disease in the first place.

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